Expenses in Their Affidavits.

Some of the late candidates for office profess astonishment at the smallness of the election expenses of other candidates as shown by their sworn statement of expenses lately filed. John McQueen's statement is the largest by far of any. His expenses are placed at \$1,125. Being asked about the matter yesterday he said that every item of expense, including his assessment of \$500 by the democratic county committee was included. He was sure that the statements of most of the others could not have included their assessments, as in most cases the amounts given are less than the assessments. He was positive, for instance, ments. He was positive, for instance, that Treasurer Stebbins' statement of \$155.50 could not cover his assessment, which he said was \$500, the same as his own, and he was equally sure that the \$250.15 sworn to by Mr. Eisenhardt, the defeated candidate for treasurer, dut not cover his assessment by any

What the Law Says, The portion of the election law which refers to this matter, being section 44, reads: "It shall be the duty of every candidate for any office named in this act, and of the chairman of every state, district and county committee of each political organization, within twenty days after each election held, pursuant to the provisions of this act, to make and file an affidavit stating the amount of money expended by make and file an affidavit stating the amount of money expended by such candidate or committee in and about the canvasa of such candidate or political organization in connection with such election, and further showing that no expenditures have been made by such candidate or political organization, or by any person in his or its behalf, to the knowledge or belief of the person making such affidavit, for any purpose prohibited by this act."

After stating as to where the affida-vits of state and county candidates and committees must be filed, the law adds, wilful, false swearing in this or in any other matter herein required to be under the oath of any person, shall be deemed perjury, and punishable ac-cordingly."

Judge Perkins' Way. Probate Judge Perkins' statement differed from all the others in that it stated the amount of his assessment separately at \$450, miscellaneous expenses \$94. Being asked as to his understanding of the law, the judge said it undoubtedly required a full statement of every expenditure for every purpose. For himself he preferred to simply swear to the amount paid the committee than to swear that it had been expended within the provisions of the pended within the provisions of the laws. It doubtless had been rightly expended, but he was unable to swear edge. He said that that might be an excuse for others, not including the assessments, viz.: because they were unable to swear that the amount was all

able to swear that the amount was an expended for proper purposes.

Frank P. Carpenter was another candidate who included every item in his statement. amounting in all to \$418. It is understood that his assessment was \$300. Matthew W. Ronan candidate for register, said he had been in doubt whether to include his railroad fare, etc., but finally included everything, \$323.45. thing, \$323,45.

Circuit Court Commissioner Hughes said he spent \$100, including his assess-ment, and that although he badn't kept track of every item thought it large enough to cover it all. A re-porter called to see Jacob Eisenhardt on his view of the matter, but he was out of the city.

Some Other Views, Mr. Stebbin's idea of the amount paid on assessments evidently did not agree with Mr. McQueen's. Said he: "I filed my statement, supposing that each candidate had to include in the amount expended all the money he expended, whether he gave it to a com-mittee or whether he expended it di-rectly himself. My expenses as filed included the assessment made by the committee. However, the committees have filed statements of the amount of money expended by them and perhaps the candidate is not expected to include his assessment in the sworn state-

W. F. McKeight-I am not talking a great deal. I did not suppose the as-sessment made by the committee should be included in the sworn statement. Senator Peter Doran said—My as-

sessment was included in my expenses. I guess the reason many of the candidates had such light expense accounts is because they failed to pay their campaign assessments.

THEY SAVED PETER'S LIFE, But He Seemed to Have Little Appre-

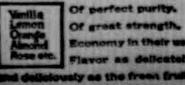
ciation of It. Peter Brandner, better known as "Crasy Pete," a familiar figure on the

streets, noted for his peculiarity of dress and fondness for old hate, had a narrow escape from death at about 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

While the night switch gang on the G. R. & I. were switching cars, the glare of an engine light revealed a man lying across the track in front of a slowly approaching train. A cry of nerror went up from the men on cars,



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Who turned away their faces expecting every moment to hear the cry of agony from a dying men. A switchman who was turning a switch also saw the body and pulled old Pete out, just in time to save his life. As he shook Pete to life, he said, "What the h— are you doing here?" "Please don't swear in my presence," answered Peter, all unconscious of how nearly he had joined the allent majority. He went down the track after his rescue, singing. "Fire Found a Friend, On! Such a pointed for the Year—Other

BEER MAKERS COMBINING.

Local Brewers Debuting as to Whether

They Shall Join. A conference of brewers of this city was held at the Bridge Street house yesterday morning, lasting for four hours. The subject of discussion was certain propositions submitted by George Hecht of Chicago, representing the brewers' syndicate of that city. While the conference was strictly private it was afterwards learned that a proposition to purchase all the breweries of the city, made two years ago, was renewed. No conclusion was reached and all concerned declined to be interviewed. From remarks made, however, it may be concluded that the negotiations are part of the gigantic beer combine intended to include Chicago, St. Louis, and several other cities.

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An informal meeting of the brewers was held in the office of the Kusterer Brewing company last evening. Mr. Kusterer and others who were present, declined to talk on the subject, except to say that there was as yet nothing which could be given out for publication. Jacob Eisenhardt, manager of the Frey company, said he was not at the meeting and that the subject had been sgitated much, but had always been unproductive of any results.

Arthur M. Grant of the Morton was Arthur M. Grant of the Morton was married to Katherine Brady at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 57 Park street, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. Gathered to participate in the happy ceremonies were numerous friends and relatives. The home was resplendent with beautiful flowers. The curtains were down and the effect upon the surroundines through the re-

resplendent with beautiful flowers. The curtains were down and the effect upon the surroundings through the reflection of incandescent lights was indeed beautiful. The marriage service was conducted by the Rev. Charles Fluhrer, and it was performed both eloquontly and impressively. After the newly wedded pair had received the congratulations of the guests a delicious and seasonable breakfast was served under the direction of Caterer Warren Swetland. Mr. and Mrs. Grant have gone east for a fortnight's tour. The event was an unusually happy one, and the principals were the recipents of many handsome and valuable testimonials from their friends. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd Pantlind, Mrs. John McIntyre, Andrew M. Grant, Miss Anna Grant, Col. W. S. Moore of Detroit, Dr. D. Emmet Welch, John D. McIntyre, Mrs. Merschon, Mrs. Will White, Mr. and Mrs. Gaius W. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Gaius W. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hees, Mr. Bertram, Mr. Atwood, D. C. Brady, Walter Brady, W. W. Brady, A. Marskell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, Mrs. Charles E. Jennings of Chicago, the Misses Jennings, Frank M. Bemis.

City News in Brief.

The Woman's Home and Hospital association will hold their annual row afternoon at 3:30. The election of officers will take place at this meeting and it is requested that every member of the association be present.

The Woman's auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian association will meet in the new building, corner Pearl and Ionia streets, at 3 o'clock this afternoon; the entrance is in the basement under main entrance on Ionia street.

Company E Custer Guards will give an informal after-drill nop at its armory a week from Monday evening. It is the purpose of this company to give these pleasant affairs every two weeks during the winter.

W. J. Colville, Mrs. Stafford and others participated in the entertainment given by the women of the South End Literary club yesterday afternoon. The proceeds went to the Children's home. dren's bome.

Last night at the Holland Christian Reformed church on Lagrave street, the Rev. John Y. DeBaun delivered the second of his course of lectures on "Papistry" to a fair sized audience.

The dancing party of the Grand Rapids guards this evening will probably be a very enjoyable affair, being the opening hop of the season. A large attendance is expected.

A meeting of the Jefferson club was called for last night, but there was not a quorum of the patriots present, and the meeting adjourned for one week. The Christian Endeavor society of the Plainfield Avenue Congregational church will give a literary and musical entertainment on Friday evening. Mrs. J. H. Gonzalez and Miss Mar-

tine gave a largely attended reception at Mrs. Gonzalez residence, Paris aveue yesterday afternoon.

About 100 persons attended the progressive pedro party given by the la-dies' surniary B. of L. E. at the En-gineers' hall last evening.

The Political Equality club will meet Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. George Edison at the Vendome. All

are cordially invited.

S. A. Crowell of Hastings was in the city yesterday on his way home from the north. He has three deer to show

N. R. Freeman of No. 373 Crescent avenue has left the city for Kalkaska and other points north, to be gone sev-

eral days.
Truant Officer Fee was in Saginaw yesterday attending the meeting of the state board of corrections and chari-

Every train from the north is loaded

with hunters returning from the north, where they have been after deer.

St. Andrew's day will be celebrated by the Eurn's club at the Literary club bouse this evening.

J. F. Trout and family will leave
Monday for Florids, where they will

spend the winter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John S.
Dykstra, No. 238 Sheldon screet, a

daughter.

A. S. Duncan left yesterday for Saginaw and will return Saturday.

Marion Hill, a 10-year-old Mt. Pleas-ant boy who left his home last spring and went to Hatten, is being anxiously looked for by his parents. He mysteri-ously disappeared shortly after leaving his home.

The Happy Home club will hold their weekly meeting at their rooms, on Friday evening. The "Hamilton Helpers," the Rev. John Beiden and Prof. Lee, will be present." The entertainment will be varied by the introduction of a fine line of stereoptican views projected by the famous brummond light. No admission, and anybedy is invited. Remember, Friday evening.

The first meeting of the new board of trade directors was held last night and President Briggs amnounced the standing committees for the year. The secretary made a statement of finances and advocated some plan of running the association so as to bring the finances to a more satisfactory state. Other matters of importance were discussed and referred to committees. mong them the question of Grand Kapids furnishing the woman's parler in the Michigan building at the world's

Secretary Kinsey made a financial statement showing that the board is comewhat in arrears. Colonel Briggs

suggested that the statement be re-ferred to the committee on ways and means, which was done.

John S. Lawrence said he had a mat-ter he wished to bring before the board.

He said there was a room in the Mich-igan building at the world's fair which igan building at the world's fair which had been set aside to be furnished at Grand Rapids' expense. The matter had received some attention from the improvement board when it was in existence. He thought \$3,000 would place the room ready for the furniture. His idea was to furnish the room in such a manner that it would advertise the city and not those who contribute furniture. The room has reached such a state that if anything is to be done it must be done at once. The \$3,000 would be expended in finishing the woodwork, in decorating the walls and in laying the carpets. On motion of William Alden Smith, John S. Lawrence, W. J. Stewart and William Alden Smith were appointed a committee to act with the Kent county committee to act with the Kent county

commissioners in the matter.

Charles R. Sligh offered a resolution stating that the board favored amending the city charter so as to enable the council to bond the city to improve the river. Referred to the committee on municipal affairs. He also offered a resolution to allow the Horsemen's association, the Furniture association, the Press club and other municipal organizations the use of the board rooms in which to hold meetings. It was referred to the executive committee.

Standing Committees, The president announced the follow-

The president announced the following standing committees:

Executive committee—J. A. Covode, Willard Barnhart, Daniel McCoy, Fred A. Maynard, Jo. eph Houseman, J. H. P. Hughart, Thomas D. Gilbert, Municipal affairs—M. S. Crosby, Lewis E. Hawkins, C. R. Sligh, George P. Wanty, J. W. Blodgett,

Legislative—N. A. Fletcher, E. G. Studley, W. J. Stuart, W. A. Smith, J. A. Hunt.

Public improvement—C. H. Legnard

Lemon and O. A. Ball.
Statistics—A. S. Musselman, E. G.
Studley, H. D. C. Van Asmus.
Ways and Means—O. A. Ball, John
S. Lawrence, John E. Peck, J. A. S.

Verdier, C. M. Heald. Improvement of Grand River—C. R. Sligh, C. H. Leonard, S. M. Lemon, O. A. Ball, J. S. Lawrence, E. F. Sweet, I. M. Turner, M. S. Crosby, I. M. Wes-

ton.
Printing—George De Haven, Ernest
B. Fisher, C. H. Leonard.
Investigations—Charles Fox, J. A.
Hunt, L. E. Hawkins, Willard Barnhart, I. M. Turner, Fred A. Maynard,
E. B. Fisher.
Lumber—A. G. Hodenpyl, S. A. Morman, L. C. Stow.
Grain—M. S. Crosby, C. M. Heald, S.
A. Sears.

Auditing—Henry Idema, W. H. Anderson, E. H. Donnelly.

Appeals—E. F. Sweet, S. A. Sears, C. F. Rood.

Arbitration—William Alden Smith, G. C. Pierce, W. H. Anderson. Charles R. Sligh announced a letter from a man who worked for White & Friant when the river was dredged some years ago, who had since had ex-

some years ago, who had since had extensive experience in such work, offering to dredge the river for 6 cents per yard if the city would buy a dredge. He also agreed to take the dredge off the city's hands when the work was done. As Colonel Ludlow's estimate was made on a basis of 10 cents per yard, it would cut his estimate almost in the middle. The whole matter was referred to the city committee.

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begin to fade. She is wearing a beautiful black silk that has actually been dyed over twice.
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is a complete success. Mrs. Browne
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